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Dear Cindy

Re Application PP-12813068 Coppicing of a hazel tree, I attach the further information you require below.

The hazel tree (photo attached) is approximately 5m high with a similar spread. I planted it about 20 years ago as part of a hedge but failed to coppice it.

Now I am planting a native species hedge in front of the two bar fence you can see in the photo. It will consist of hazel, blackthorn, hawthorn, dogwood, field maple and dog rose.

I wish to coppice the hazel to incorporate it into the new hedge. The intention is to create more light and moisture for the new hedge, which should encourage wildlife into the garden.

The coppicing was suggested by Andrew Howes at Greenfingers Garden & Tree Care, who is doing the work for me. He has discussed the idea with Imogen Mole at NNDC who seemed to think it a good idea.

The hazel will be coppiced to a height of not less than 1 meter. I will probably retain one of the smaller trunks to hold the bird feeders.

I hope this provides the information you need.

Best regards.

Penny Wade

